

JOINT COMMITTEE FORWARD PLAN 2025/26**Version 16th May 2025**

PART A/B	Joint Committee Date	Host & Venue	Title (draft where not complete)	Purpose of Report	Member Lead	Officer Lead	NOTES
A	16 th May 2025	Cheshire West & Chester Council.	ECW Business Plan 25/26	To agree the ECW Business Plan 2025/2026.	TBC	Philip Cox	
A/B		Ellesmere Port Library Civic Way, Ellesmere Port CH65 OBG	Joint Committee Forward Plan	Update and seek direction	Cllr LG	Gemma Davies	
B	30 th May 2025	Warrington BC Council Chamber, Warrington Town Hall, Sankey Street, Warrington.	Devolution 'in-principle' report.	To make recommendations to the three Councils to agree in principle to a Devolution Agreement with Government and to agree 'Shadow Combined Authority' arrangements.	Cllr LG	Gemma Davies	
			Devolution Work Programme and budget 2025/26	To confirm the devolution programme and cost plan 2025/26.	TBC	Gemma Davies	
A			ECW related business	Tbc			

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A/B			Joint Committee Forward Plan	Update and seek direction	Cllr LG		
B	27 th June 2025	Cheshire East Council Council Chamber, Municipal Building, Earle Street, Crewe, CW1 2BJ.	Get Britain Working Plan	To agree next steps for C&W Plan	Cllr NP	Gemma Davies/Hayley Owen	
			Connect to Work	To agree approach to Connect to Work in Cheshire and Warrington.	Cllr NP	Gemma Davies/Hayley Owen	
			Devolution related business	TBC			
			ECW related business	TBC			
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A/B			Joint Committee Forward Plan	Update and seek direction	Cllr LG		
B	25 th July 2025	Cheshire West & Chester Council.	Devolution related business				

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A		Ellesmere Port Library, Civic Way, Ellesmere Port, CH65 OBG.	ECW related business				
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B	29 th August 2025	Warrington Borough Council Council Chamber, Warrington Town Hall, Sanket Street, Warrington.	Devolution to Cheshire and Warrington.	To agree recommendations to the three Councils for final consents for devolution to Cheshire and Warrington.	Cllr LG		
A			ECW related business				
A/B			Joint Committee Forward Plan	Update and seek direction	Cllr LG		
B	26 th September 2025	Cheshire East Council Council Chamber, Municipal Building, Crewe, CW1 2BJ.	Devolution related business				
A			ECW related business				
A/B			Joint Committee Forward Plan	Update and seek direction	Cllr LG		

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B	31 st October 2025	Cheshire West & Chester Council	Devolution related business				
A		Ellesmere Port Library, Civic Way, CH65 OBG.	ECW related business				
A/B			Joint Committee Forward Plan	Update and seek direction	Cllr LG		
B	28 th November 2025	Warrington Borough Council	Devolution related business				
A		Council Chamber, Warrington Town Hall, Sankey Street, Warrington.	ECW related business				
A/B			Joint Committee Forward Plan	Update and seek direction	Cllr LG		
B	30 th January 2026	Cheshire East Council	Devolution related business				
A		Council Chamber, Municipal Building, Crewe.	ECW related business				
A/B			Joint Committee Forward Plan	Update and seek direction	Cllr LG		
B	27 th February 2026	Cheshire West & Chester Council	Devolution related business				
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A			ECW related business				
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